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Premier Poincaré Is Given Strong Note of Confidence on Ruhr

By Majority of 438 Resolution Is Passed Voting Money Needed to Carry Out Policy Against Germans—Only Extreme Left Voted Against Premier

PARIS, May 29.—Any doubts as to the solidity of Premier Poincaré's position were set at rest tonight when the chamber by a majority of 438 expressed confidence in him and his government and voted the money needed to carry out the policy in the Ruhr.

Only the extreme left voted against the premier. His other critics did not even resort to the common practice of abstaining, but added their vote to the premier's majority.

The chamber voted an appropriation of 35,500,000 francs for the expenses of the Ruhr occupation for the month of June.

The debate on the subject took on the appearance of an assault on the premier's cabinet.

Mr. Tardieu severely criticized the government's methods and demanded of Poincaré whether he would change them, at the same time declaring to the chamber that the occupation of the Ruhr had increased the financial difficulties of the government.

The premier declared Mr. Tardieu's remarks to be a "purely personal attack" and that he would not change the policy.

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Released for Trial

Abbe Adolphe Delorme, the priest who is accused of the murder of his brother, in Montreal, and who since last July has been in an asylum for the insane, has been taken to Montreal to stand trial.

Business Part Ontario Town Burned Down

Farming Community of Verner, Between North Bay and Sudbury, Frey to Flame

STURTEVANT, Ont., May 29.—The business section of Verner, a small farming village between North Bay and Sudbury, was wiped out by fire this afternoon. Damage is estimated at between \$50,000 and \$100,000.

The fire broke out in a main street of the village at about 10 o'clock.

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CALGARY, May 29.—(Bulletin)—A gusher which threw out 5,000 barrels of oil and is now flowing at the rate of 3,500 barrels daily, has been struck in the Shelby-Kelvin-Sunburst field, according to telephone reports received here tonight.

Canada Can Solve Problem of Fuel By Dependence On Her Own Resources Says Report

Interim Report Is Submitted by Dominion Fuel Board Under the Chairmanship of Charles Campbell, Deputy Minister of Mines—Much Coal Now Imported

OTTAWA, May 29.—(Canada Press)—The interim report of the Dominion Fuel Board, under the chairmanship of Charles Campbell, deputy minister of mines, was submitted to the cabinet today.

The report states that Canada is not self-sufficient in coal and that it is necessary to import coal to meet the requirements of the country.

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A STUDY IN RELATIVITY



This picture gives you a good idea of the size of the place in which Hoppe Co. lease the English Channel. Suspended on the building of the Paris newspaper, the car can compare its size to the clock and the windows.

Hoppe Co. Leases Again Subject of Discussion In Debate On Granting Fists

Members Urge That When Fists Are Granted, Enabling Parties to Proceed by Legal Action Against Group, Notice Should Be Given in Canada Gazette

OTTAWA, May 29.—(Canada Press)—There was again in the house today an echo of the famous Hoppe Co. lease in the subject of the granting of fists to the Hoppe Co. of Paris.

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G. S. ARMSTRONG DECLARED TO BE NOT GUILTY ON THEFT CHARGE

Jury Brings in Verdict on Tuesday After Ten Minutes Deliberation

FINDING GREETED WITH APPLAUSE

Suspended Official Showed with Congratulations by Friends

"Not guilty" was the verdict brought in by the jury at 3:35 p.m. yesterday, as in the usual of applause surrounded the defendant.

After the charge to the jury by Mr. Justice Giesbrecht and the retirement of the jury at 4:20, but ten minutes elapsed before the verdict was returned.

The verdict was greeted with applause and the defendant was taken to his cell.

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BANDITS HURL TO THEIR DEATH EIGHTY CHINESE

Prisoners Are Bound Hand and Foot and Then Thrown from Cliffs

SHANGHAI, May 29.—(Reuters)—A band of bandits, strong at Shanghai, brought the kidnapping of a number of foreigners from Shanghai Express, May 6, caused the bandits to throw eighty Chinese prisoners to death from one of the mountain cliffs, according to the Shanghai Express.

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POLICE SEARCH PORTAGE A.W. FOR INSANE WOMAN

Clothes Are Discovered But No Trace of Woman Was Found by Officers

At a late hour last night as Mr. and Mrs. Payne were proceeding to their car, they noticed a woman in the street, who appeared to be in a peculiar manner.

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LIBERALS AND FARMERS ARE NOT JOINING

Lines of Cleavage Are Becoming More Defined in the Ontario Campaign

TORONTO, May 29.—(Canadian Press)—The line of cleavage between the United Farmers and Liberals in the province of Ontario has been more clearly defined during the past few days as a result of electioneering.

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EARNINGS UPON NATIONAL RYS. ARE INCREASED

Figures for the Month of April Show Improvement Over Those of Last Year

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RIVALS VENUS

Mrs. J. A. Johnston of Lethbridge will represent Alberta provincial chapter, I.O.D.E. at the National I.O.D.E. chapter meeting to be held in Quebec.

Mrs. Donald W. Macdonald will be a delegate at the National I.O.D.E. meeting to be held in Quebec, representing the Royal Windsor chapter, I.O.D.E. of Edmonton.

In order to draft a letter which the Edmonton chapter of the National I.O.D.E. will carry to the National meeting in Quebec, a special session of the Municipal chapter I.O.D.E. was held in the "Y" club room, Tuesday afternoon, with a large attendance, including representatives from every city chapter. Mrs. Macdonald will return to Lethbridge on Wednesday, and is planning to leave next Tuesday for Quebec where she will be a guest at the Chateau Frontenac.

Mrs. H. A. Kennedy is on a three weeks' trip in southern B. C. Mrs. Harry J. McNeill expects to leave a week from Thursday for Calgary, where she will spend the summer months. The guests of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. J. G. Lamber, Mrs. Macdonald will return to Lethbridge in the fall to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. M. A. McNeill.

Mrs. Claude B. Macdonald has returned to her home in the city with a two week visit in the city with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. J. G. Lamber. Mrs. Macdonald will return to Lethbridge in the fall to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. M. A. McNeill.

Mrs. Laura Smith was a week-end visitor in Calgary.

Mrs. F. W. Houston of Calgary is a visitor in the city, a guest at the Macdonald home.

Mrs. and Mrs. Harry Hutchinson of Calgary will be guests in the city for the next few weeks.

Mrs. D. A. Macdonald of the department of political economy at the University has returned from a week's trip in the southern part of the province.

Mrs. Clara Ward of the editorial staff of the Calgary Alberta is attending the sessions of the Alberta Women's Institute held at the University this week. Mrs. Ward is a guest at the Macdonald home.

Past President, Church choir will return to Wainwright, Alberta at the request of the Presbyterian church at that point to give services "Home Maidens."

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PERSONALS, MEETINGS, CLUB ACTIVITIES, WEDDINGS AND OTHER SOCIAL EVENTS

Salmon Culetts with Cucumber Sauce

By MERTIE E. SHAPLEIGH
Of Columbia University

Season, two cups of cold, baked salmon, either fresh or canned, with salt, pepper, acid cream juice to taste and one teaspoon lemon juice. Make a sauce of one cup of milk, one third cup of flour and two tablespoons of butter, and add enough of this to the fish to hold it together.

Spread in a pan to cook. Bake in the form of cutlets one heaping tablespoon of the mixture spread enough for one cutlet. Have ready one-fourth cup of cold water. Cover the cutlets with crumbs thoroughly, and add enough of this to the fish to hold it together. Fry in deep fat hot enough to brown a piece of butter in thirty seconds. One minute will be long enough. The fish should be served with one-fourth cup of cold water. Fry in deep fat hot enough to brown a piece of butter in thirty seconds. One minute will be long enough. The fish should be served with one-fourth cup of cold water.

Ladies' Bowling Club Holds Its Formal Open

The Edmonton Ladies' Bowling club held its formal opening on Tuesday evening at the bowling on Saskatchewan Drive.

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NEW GOWNS WITH FLOUNCES REVIVE SPANISH MEMORIES



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Roses, carnations and La Paloma are the correct accessories to certain new gowns and waists that achieve distinction by following Spanish rather than Egyptian lines. Their most marked characteristics are the full circular flounce that defines below the knees and ends a few inches above the ankles. "Touche"

perhaps hardly the word since the flapping folds mark the Indian of the trunk—the undergarment is beneath the flounce.

Sketches are two such garments—essentially fitted caps of heavy silk for summer wear and a silk dress with wide flounce and a few wide cuffs that a well-known French designer made famous.

The minister of agriculture, speaking Tuesday evening, urged the women of the W.I. to pass a resolution in which they would declare that they no longer wished to receive the government grant.

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THE ARMSTRONG CASE.

The verdict of the jury in the Armstrong case was in accordance with the charge of the judge and the evidence submitted to the court. That the decision was reached after an absence from the court room of only ten minutes must be accepted as a complete clearance of the charge against Mr. Armstrong. It was with a shock that the citizens heard of Mr. Armstrong's arrest. His position as postmaster was important and responsible, he had been mayor for two consecutive years and had served as alderman for three terms. He had carried on business in the city for a number of years. He was recognized as a good citizen. The occurrence which has made the occasion of his arrest had taken place three and a half years before. During those years he had filled the position of postmaster with a minimum of friction or complaints. Of necessity, when it was known that he had been placed under arrest at the hour of four o'clock in the morning and had been consigned to the lock-up, there was a general assumption that the authorities had secured evidence of a serious character against him. The amount of the bail bond on which he was released was \$50,000. The preliminary examination held in due course did not bring out any condemnatory evidence, but still the assumption that he had been placed under arrest for some reason, or were in the way of securing it, and that it would be duly brought out at the trial. This was the situation that Mr. Armstrong has had to face ever since the 10th of January last. The date of trial was set for April. The accused was anxious to proceed, but at the request of the crown the trial was set forward to the latter end of May, and another month of suspension and suspense was added. Again it was supposed that the postponement meant the production of important evidence. The charge of the judge and the verdict of the jury give the measure of justification for the proceedings taken.

A large amount of money was stolen. It was the business of the authorities to find and furnish the criminal. They were entitled to do the limit in serving the ends of justice. But the ends of justice were being served by the arrest and trial of a respectable and responsible citizen without any stronger evidence than was adduced against Mr. Armstrong.

The officials of the post office department who ordered Mr. Armstrong's arrest represented the State—the public at large. In protecting the public right they have duties to perform, which may be important but which none the less must be performed. But there is a right of the individual as well as of the state. Indeed, the reason for the existence and authority of the state is that individual right shall be maintained. When the authority of the state is used in trespass upon, instead of to protect, the rights of the individual, the state is acting unjustly and is to be unreservedly condemned. Even a suspected postmaster has a right to fair treatment.

Under an administration of justice it is generally understood that when a person charged with a criminal offence is arrested it is the custom and it is the duty of the officer in charge to warn the prisoner that anything he may say is liable to be used in evidence against him. That is recognized as British justice. It appears from the evidence that Mr. Armstrong was "detained" by Mr. Coulson, chief of the post office department, Mr. Duncan, chief federal investigating officer, and Mr. Atwater, of the post office department, all of Ottawa and his superior in office, from nine a.m. on Tuesday until he was placed under arrest at four a.m. on Wednesday. During that time he was questioned by them, his answers being taken down by a stenographer of the Dominion Senate. He was kept without food except one sandwich, and every effort was made to force a confession from him. While the official arrest did not take place until the examination or "third degree" had been held, he was under duress, which was in fact arrest. This application of American "third degree" methods is now in this part of Canada so far as the Bulletin is aware. It is respectfully suggested that whether this was the first case of the kind or not, that it be the last. This cannot afford to permit the pretended administration of law to make a mockery of justice.

Having failed to extract a confession, Mr. Armstrong was arrested at a time of night that compelled his spending some hours in the lock-

up. There was neither reason nor excuse for such action on the part of the representatives of the post office department if their purpose was the safe keeping of the subject of their charge.

The charge against Mr. Armstrong has been settled by the verdict of the jury, but the infringement on individual right by the officials of the post office department raises an issue even more important than the whereabouts of the missing money.

Mr. Armstrong was the sufferer on this occasion. Any other citizen may suffer the like indignity and material loss with as little cause on a future occasion, if such proceedings are permitted to go unchecked. The offence is not against Mr. Armstrong more than it is against the citizenship of the country generally.

The post office robbery which was made the occasion of Mr. Armstrong's arrest took place between Saturday evening, August 9th and Tuesday morning, August 12th 1919. On August 9th three arrived by registered mail three parcels containing \$50,000 in Merchants Bank bills. Monday was easy holiday. The money was missing when the messenger of the Merchants Bank came for the packages on Tuesday morning. During the period from the arrival of the packages until they were missed fourteen clerks were on duty in the registration department, each of whom had access to the vault. The post office practice, to the knowledge of the inspectors, did not provide for the clerks as they were going off duty accounting for the parcels taken on hand and getting a clearance from the incoming clerks. The judge found in his charge to the jury that it was impossible to say when the money disappeared. Apparently all the evidence produced at the trial had been in the hands of the authorities for three years. As the stolen bills were not now their numbers were not known, there was no means of identifying them. Now that Merchant Bank bills are withdrawn from circulation, an attempt to pass them would almost certainly lead to the discovery of the thief.

As Mr. Armstrong is under suspension and has not been dismissed, it is still postmaster.

THE HOPE CROP.

The psychological results of the Saturday-Sunday rain are reflected in the dispatches appearing in the news columns. From nearly all parts of the province come reports that people are looking with renewed eagerness to a favorable season, good crops, and improved business conditions. That week-end soaking has sprouted a crop of new hopes and they are showing nearly everywhere. In itself it is a change that is worth noting. A community afflicted with discouragement cannot progress, and will not half try. There is inspiration in the present situation for the farmer and everyone else. It appears that inspiration was one thing the country badly needed.

ROUNDED UP.

Mr. Malcolm Bruce has finally given himself up to the authorities at Glenora, for the reason it is supposed that the police were hot upon his trail and that concealment was not longer possible. His surrender constitutes no valid ground upon which to ask for leniency. He may not have been guilty of the seditious language attributed to him, but his conduct did nothing to prove his innocence. The man who runs from a policeman usually has a reason for doing it.

INVITING TROUBLES.

The difficulties of the French people in the Ruhr have been increased by an outbreak of communist strikes. Theoretically the strikers are fighting the German police and what remains of their national authority. Practically the effect is to create disorder everywhere and prevent the carrying on of mining and other industrial operations. If the French do not make a general evacuation of the German population from the trouble centres it will be no fault of the Communists. Their own conduct, however, or later, can hardly be avoided if order is to prevail and production be made possible. Perhaps they are inviting such action by the occupying troops—in order to stimulate hostile feeling throughout Germany against the invaders.

THE UNAVOIDABLE.

The Provincial Minister of Public Works says nothing will be done this year toward the construction of the Jasper Highway, beyond locating the route and planning for operations for a more favorable financial season. That was rather to be expected. It is unfortunate that this tourist route is not completed now, and that it cannot even be started forthwith. But the provincial purse is empty and empty. The Legislature sanctioned a spending program which will use up all the money that is expected to come in and add a million or so to the public debt beside. While the accountants balance on that side there will have to be a husbanding of money, and a postponement of large undertakings. Popular sentiment is undoubtedly strong for the highway, but sentiment will not pull stumps and build bridges and pay grading gangs, and at present the taxpayers have more than they can do to meet the obligations already imposed.

OFFICIAL EVIDENCE.

A special issue of the Alberta Gazette has been published. It comprises 96 pages of closely printed matter. The contents consist exclusively of a list of quarter sections and lots in improvement districts and sub-divisions which are to be taken from their owners before the close of the present year, unless the arrears of taxes standing against them are paid off. Several previous issues of the Gazette have contained the tax recovery lists for municipal districts and urban corporations. The list presents a startling proof of the inability of the taxpayers of the province to stand the strain, and hence of the need of economy both by municipal councils, school boards and the Government. If half this land is confiscated there will be thousands fewer pockets next year from which to draw revenue to keep the municipal and provincial machinery going. The need of cutting expenditure all round could hardly be more convincingly shown.

THE DUB



TRANS-CANADA HIGHWAY DOESN'T CONCERN ROSS

Dragging Roads Already Built
Will Be Chief Work of
Minister This Season

Minister of public works Alex. Ross is not at all concerned over the settlement in some quarters as to what route will constitute the real "trans-Canada highway" through the province, as assured by automobile associations.

Tuesday the minister said the government proposed to continue along the trans-Canada road route and that some years ago motorists could place themselves as to what highway they might take across the province and what these systems should be termed.

Jasper Highway.
Some years ago the government aided in development of a highway across the part of the province from Lloydminster to Edmonton. This has been continued the major portion of the way to Edmonton and will constitute a part of the proposed Jasper highway, which will eventually traverse British Columbia to Vancouver. According to plans of Good Hope Highway, the northern route can be linked up with the trans-Canada road at Red Deer.

Whether the trans-Canada route shall pass through Calgary or Lethbridge, Mr. Ross says is entirely up to the good roads associations. This provincial government will continue to improve both systems, the one from Medicine Hat to Calgary and the so-called "All Red Route" from the flat to the Crown West Pass via Athabasca. However with the coming of the winter season tourists may long for the Jasper highway to the Crown West Pass via Athabasca. However with the coming of the winter season tourists may long for the Jasper highway to the Crown West Pass via Athabasca. However with the coming of the winter season tourists may long for the Jasper highway to the Crown West Pass via Athabasca.

The minister says the big rain has improved road conditions immensely. For the first time in over two years the highways are in fine shape for dragging, over 1,000 miles of this work being under way. In various parts of the province this work is being done.

No Gravel to Fort.
The government's proposal to gravel the road between Edmonton and Fort Saskatchewan this season has been abandoned. Mr. Ross announced, owing to lack of money. However something may be done later. The Legislature sanctioned a spending program which will use up all the money that is expected to come in and add a million or so to the public debt beside. While the accountants balance on that side there will have to be a husbanding of money, and a postponement of large undertakings. Popular sentiment is undoubtedly strong for the highway, but sentiment will not pull stumps and build bridges and pay grading gangs, and at present the taxpayers have more than they can do to meet the obligations already imposed.

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